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AMENDED CLAIMS - MARKED-UP COPY
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3. (Amended) A pipe according to claim 1 [or 2] where the outer layers are in the form of tubes.
6. (Amended) A method according to claim 4 [or 5], wherein the core layer is formed of a plastic concrete and is introduced in a flowable state between the preformed material layers to be moulded therein.
7. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 4, 5 or 6] claim 4, wherein the preformed material layers are formed and are retained in their moulds to [provided] provide the formwork for moulding of the core layer.
9. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 4 to 8] claim 4 wherein the plastic concrete is adjusted so as to commence curing within a short time of being introduced between the preformed layers, whereby lower layers of the plastic concrete cure when further layers of the plastic concrete are introduced.
10. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 4 to 8] claim 4 wherein the material layers are formed from synthetic resin.
11. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 4 to 9] claim 4 wherein the core layer comprises a thermosetting resin or a thermoplastic resin.
14. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 10 to 13] claim 10 wherein the core layer further includes a reinforcement.

17. (Amended) A method according to [any of claims 13 to 15] claim 13 wherein the core layer includes further reinforcement.